S/N 10/501,289 PATENT

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Peterson et al. Examiner: Wu Cheng Winston Shen

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Title: A Suprabasal Breast Cell with Stem Cell Properties

## **PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

## Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a three-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed July 24, 2006, said period of response being extended from October 24, 2006 to January 24, 2007.

Please charge our Deposit Account No. 13-2725 in the amount of \$1,020.00 to cover the required extension fee for a large entity.

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Date: January 24, 2007

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